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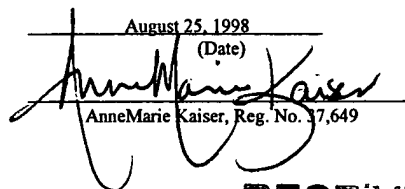
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In re application of : Muni, et al.
App. No. : 09/049,857
Filed : March 27, 1998
For : ASPIRATION METHOD
Examiner : D. Blyveis
Art Unit : 3734

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | | |
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| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| Total Claims | 59 | MINUS | 20 | = 39 × | \$11 | = \$429 |
| Independent Claims | 7 | MINUS | 3 | = 4 × | \$41 | = \$164 |
| If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add | | | | | \$135 | = \$0 |
| Time Extension Fee | | | | | | \$0 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$593 |

Enclosed are:

- (X) A small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) A check in the amount of \$593.00 is attached.

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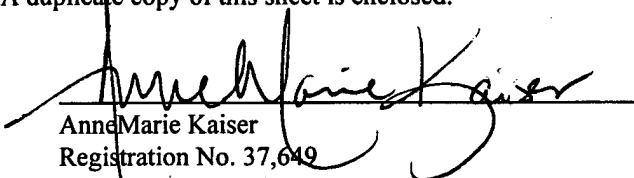
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